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Funeral Services For Charles B. Strong

Funeral services over the remains of Chas. B. Strong, 73, who passed away last week were held in the 2nd Ward Chapel Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p.m. with Bishop L. L. Palmer in charge. Jos. McLean was in charge of the combined choirs of both wards, with Mrs. Emma Dahl at the organ. The beautiful grey casket and rostrum were covered wit hfloral tributes from relatives and friends and people were in attendance from all over Southern Alberta to show their respect to the memory of deceased who had endeard himself to everyone by his genial disposition and his readiness to serve.

The Vets of which deceased was a member were seated in a body in the hall and pall bearers were members of the High Priests Quorum of which deceased was a member and were Rolf. Webster, Chas. Eveson, D. A. Bennett, Wm. Redd, Jos. Nilsson and Harold Stevens.

The opening hymn was "Not Now But in the Coming Years," and the invocation was offered by Elder J. W. Evans, President of the High Priests Quorum and the second hymn was "Sweet is the Work."

Bishop Palmer made a few opening remarks and announced the program, and then T. K. Roberts sang a vocal solo "Thy Will Be Done."

Pres. T. Geo. Wood was the first speaker and referred to the splendid life of endeavor of deceased who appreciated the finer things in life, and enjoyed good music, and art of all kinds. As a builder Chas. Strong had builded better than he knew and much masonry, especially in Southern Alberta will stand for many years as a monument of his integrity and honesty. His work with singers in many organizations, over a long period of years, had been of untold value, and the large choir, completely filling the choir seats was a distinct tribute to his ability in this line.

Frank Taylor and Co. sang the Male Quartette "The Long Day Closes."

W. C. Stone, who had known deceased for many years and had been associated with him in musical work of various kinds paid tribute to his ability and his appreciation of the efforts of others. He mentioned many things in the life history of deceased, including his migration from the old county to Utah, via of London, Ontaio, and later his removal to Raymond and of his work here. He read a number of sentiments from Elbert Hubbard's Scrapbook, expressing his personal tribute to the life and labors of deceased.

A request number "Goin' Home" was sung by Jos. McLean.

Elder J. H. Walker, former Bihop was the next speaker and expressed his pleasure at being asked to speak at this service. He felt highly honored. Deceased was a man who put his best in everything he undertook, and all that he did he did well. He was a very good entertainer, and worked for the benefits of others. Even now, in his mind, Bro Strong was not dead, he was merely called to another sphere of action, and already was engaged in service to others in the spirit world, as he had always been laboring for others here. He spoke on the principles of the resurrection and said this was the time for men to prepare to meet God, and he felt that deceased had prepared well to meet God and be judged by the deeds done in the body. He encouraged the children to emulate the example of their father in service and devotion to the things they undertook.

Bish. L.L. Palmer, on behalf of the family, thanked all for their assistance during the illness of Bro. Strong, and paid tribute to the family, especially to Miss Dorothy, for her tenderness and devotion to her father during his declining years.

The closing hymn was "Abide Wit hMe" and the benediction was pronounced by Patriarch John F. Anderson, former Bishop of Raymond.

Despite the rather cold day a large cortege followed the remains to the cemetery where interment was made in the family plot, the grave being dedicated by Elder W. A. Heninger.

All members of the family were present at the service and to them we express our deepest sympathy in their bereavement. They are: Hubert, Milton, Joseph, Leona, Dorothy and Gladys.

RAYMOND TAX RATE TOTALS 53 MILLS

The Town Council met in session Monday night to consider the budget for 1944 and set th mill rate. After a study of the estimates of Town and School, and the new Hospital levy, the overall rate for the property in Town was set at 53 mills, which is the same total as last year. This levy is broken down as follows:

For Town purposes, 23 mills; for School purposes, 23 on Town property 18 on property outside town; Social Service, which is this year based on total assessment instead of just on land 1 mill only. The Hospital levy is 4 mills, with a minimum of $10.00 to be paid. This means that property owners whose assessment is less than $2500 will have to pay the difference between the Hospital tax and the $10.00 minimum. It is the same either way, for if the mimimum Hospital contract is set a $10.00, then instead of costractees paying part to the Town and part to the Hospital, all will be paid to the Town.

One of the screens outstanding attractions is "OLD ACQUAINTANCE" which stars Bette Davis and will open an engagement at the Capitol Monday next. Arrange now to see this superb photo-play.

SEVERE IN MARCH 1902

While the weather was around the zero mark last week, Heber Coles told us it was March 15th, 1902 that he and his wife landed in Raymond. They pitched a tent for shelter and lived there till a house was built in the spring. The day after their arrival some transients tried to swipe their tent. The ground was covered with snow, and Heber searched around for buffalo chips for fuel for a few days.

While farming, he had great sucess with wheat, and he attributed this to planting early and cutting a little on the green side ahead of the frost. He was also successful as a potato grower. In 1902 he planted his wheat in March and threshed it in July, being one of the very few whose grain was not damaged by frost that year.

"Light For Tomorrow" Greatly Enjoyed

Drama lovers enjoyed a real treat this week when the 2nd Ward M.I.A. presented the three act drama "Light for Tomorrow" directed by Leonard Watson with a cast admirably chosen for their parts.

Based on the actual history of the L.D.S. Mormon Church in its early days in New York State, Missouri and Illinois, the drama carried the audience from one climax to the next in breath taking epochs as the story unfolded. From obscurity, and ignorant hatred in New York State, to open attack from mobs and hypocrites, resulting in shootings, wholesale murder of defenceless men, women and children, and burning pillaging and ravaging in Missouri, to Illinois where a city call 'Nauvoo the Beautiful" founded and built by an oppressed and diven people, boasted a population of twenty-five thousand people, had its own city charter, its own militia and its own Temple, and then the sorrow and mourning over the assination in nearby Carthage of the Prophet Joseph Smith and his brother Hyrum, gives an audience two hours and a half of real enjoyment as they live again the trials of these brave people.

To detail each character would be far beyond this article, and to select one above the other would be very unfair. Each and everyone gave a fine interpretation of their parts. Truo some carried the thread of the story, and these in the changes of the story and their different surroundings gave a very fine interpretation, but all did a fine job of difficult roles and lent their very souls to the parts they played. Thanks are also due to the costume and make up artists who added age and wrinkles where necessary, and touched hair with grey where such was demanded. As we have frequently said before there is a great deal of work goes in o the presentation of a home dramatic, but there is growth and development for everyone connected with them and we should support them if for no other purpose than for the encouragement of those who may be appearing for their first time in such a role.

Special numbers between acts added to the enjoyment of the audience.

Annual Old Folks Party Enjoyed

Wednesday was Old Folks Day for Raymond and Welling, and under the general direction of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Card of the First Ward and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Witbeck of the Second Ward the day was a grand success from start to finish.

The cooks were busy at the Opera House from 9 in the morning getting dinner ready, and about noon the cars commeced their work of gathering up the Honored Guests. By one o'clock when dinner was served there were 220 served a steaming hot dinner, and when lunch was served at 7:30 in the eveing there were 150 still present to enjoy that. The dinner was as usual the finest that the wealth of the district could provide and included everything that would satisfy the appetites of hungry people.

In the afternoon a program was presented as follows:

Speech of Welcome by S. B. Card.

Community singing led by Jos.. McLean with Mrs. Emma Dahl at the piano.

Comic skit by Rhonda Dahl and daughter.

Quartette by Frank Taylor and Co.

Reading by Mrs. Louis Brandley.

Violin Solo by Edw. Kiddle.

Vocal Duett by Reece Gibb and Mrs. Sara Low.

Vocal Solo by Miss Winnie Mitchell.

Comic stunt by Frank Taylor and Co.

High School play "The Happy Journey" by Grade XII directed by Miss Norma Litchfield.

Present at the party was Arthur Dahl of Cardston, formerly of Raymond, who spoke briefly and stated that he had not missed an Old Folks Day in Raymond in over forty years and that he was a member of the first Old Folks Committee appointed in Raymond.

Hot dinners were sent out to 30 people who were unable to attend the party, and flowers were sent to 20 as a remembrance from their friends who gathered to enjoy the day.

The early evening was spent in visiting and then a married folks dance was held until mid night when a large crowd gathered to enjoy this part of the pcram, and as it was Leap Year and ladies choice all the night the ladies really had a big time.

Another milestone passed in the lives of our Honored Guests and another pleasant day to remember. Our thanks are due the members of the Committee for their labors in making such a success of this day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hancock rushed their son Calvin to Lethbridge for an appndicitis operation. He is improving as well as can be expected.

JOHN KORMOS SUICIDES

John Kormos, aged 60, local Hungarian, and known by many in the district, committed suicide early Thursday morning at his home here, killing himself instantly with a discharge from a shotgun.

He had been living alone for some years his son John, being in the Air Force, and his daughter Helen living in the Warner district. Despondency and loneliness were given as the cause of his action. The R.C.M.P. investigated the circumstances and released the body for burial.

Deceased came here from Hungary in 1926, and in 1929 his wife and children followed him. He and his brothers, Bert and Joe worked for a number of local farmers in the beet fields and they were very well known and respected for their industry and integrity. We extend our sympathy to the chidren in their sorrow.

FIRST AID CLASSES AGAIN COMPLETED

The six weeks course in First Aid, being held at Raymond, came to a successful conclusion Friday night, March 3rd, when examinations under the auspices of the St. John's Ambulance Association were successfully taken by the class.

During the past seven years the first aid classes have been an annual event, and until this year Robert Christie of the Mine Rescue Station at Lethbridge has been the lecturer. This year John Landysheff of the Canadian Sugar Factories staff very ably presented the lectures, having secured his instructors certificate recently.

Three classes were conducted one an industrial class sponsored by the Canadian Sugar Factories Ltd. and under the direction of the Safety First committee, had an attendance of 21 sugar factory workmen. The Public class, which included members from Magrath, Stirling and Raymond, had an attendance of 11 members, and the Juior group consisted of 4 patrol leaders from the Raymond Boy Scout Troop No. 1.

A new feature was introduced this year with considerable success. The experienced members of the class delivered short lectures on particular phases of first aid work, such subjects as "The Circulatory system, The Respiratory system, The Digestive system, The Treatment for poisoning, The treatment of fractures, The treatment of Hemorrhage, The Skeleton, and The Muscular system," were given with very favorable results.

Doctor Harris Walker contributed greatly to the class by supplementing many phases of the regular course in his lecture to the class.

The examination was given under the direction of Dr. J. S. Madill with Dr. Walker conducting.

At the close of the examinations the class expressed its appreciation by presenting a Brief Case to Mr. Landysheff and a silk scarf to Dr. Walker.

Kay Redd acted as secretary of the industrial class and Chas Matkin as secretary of the Public Classes.

Those attending were: Seventh year, ndustrial Class: Jack Blaskovits, Cecil Finch, Walt Piepgrass, and Allen Watson. Sixth year: Wilford Van Ormen and Stanley Greep. Fifth year: John Housley, Owen Larsen, Elmer Rusk and Roy Woolley. Fourth year: Kay Redd, Karl Schneider and June Anderson. Third year: Karl Gehnlich and C. R. Bennett. Second year: Arthur Atwood, Stanley Linitski, John Olson & Evan Sibley. First year: Clinton Hardy and Herbert Sill.

In the Public Class, Fourth year: Chas. Matkin and Chas. Tillack. Third year. Norman Christensen, Alden McNeely and Roy Overn. Second year: Warren Jones and Liddell Roberts. First year: Lyman Hardy Leon Harker, Stanley Sanford and Frank Stockton.

In the Junior Class, Rulon Litchfield, John Redd, Phyllip Redd and Woodruff Wood.

J. W. Evans and Frank Taylor went out to the Bonnie View School Monday to participate in the bomb salute to that school which won the green War Savings Stamp campaign. Weather had delayed it before.

J. Ammon Anderson Passes Away

James Ammon Anderson, aged 47 years, passed away at 6:15 Tuesday morning in the Lethbridge Hospital following an illness of three or four years duration, and serious illness for the past two or three months. A heart ailment which has gradually grown worse was the cause of death.

Last fall he felt pretty good and when his health did not permit of farm work, he obtained a job as caretaker of a building in Lethbridge and worked there for a few months with good results. Then he became ill and had to give up his job. About three weeks ago he was stricken again and during this attack a blood clot caused partial paralysis of one side. He rallied from this and the paralysis almost totally left, and for a few days he felt pretty good. Then the last and fatal attack came about ten days ago and he was rushed to the Hospital where he succumbed despite all that medical aid and loving hands could do for him.

Ammon was born in Utah, but spent most of his life in Raymond, coming here with his parents at an early age. He filled a mission for the Church and after returning married Beatrice Nurse. They are the parents of six children. Also left to mourn his passing are his parents, grandmother Zilpha Z. Hancock and his brother William. A sister Verna predeceased him a number of years ago.

Deceased had always been a willing and capable worker in the Church and communityy and for 20 years served as Ward Clerk a position which demanded care and precision in recording the doings of th eward. He worked with his father and brother in the operation of the farm east of town, and when James S. retired the two boys operated the farm togther, as long as Ammon was able to do that kind of work.

To the sorrowing wife and children and other relatives we extend our deepest sympathy in their hour of sadness. Funeral services are being held this afternoon in the 2nd Ward Church with Bishop L. L. Palmer in charge and a full report will be carried next week.

NEWS NOTES

A baptismal service was held in the Snake House Sunday afternoon, when eleven adults and children were brought into membership in the L. D. S. Church. Bishop J.O. Hicken was in charge of the service.

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Mr. and Mrs Paul Fairbanks rd until this week from a vacation trip and visit with relatives in California. His mother returned with them after spending the winter with her children down there.

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Miss Maude Denew, a bride-to be was honored at a shower in the First Ward Social Hall Monday evening. A delightful program was rendered, followed by a tasty lunch, and Miss Maude was the recipient of a lovely lot of useful and valuable presents. She is to be married on March 24th to Leonard S. Rolfson.

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S. C. MAY Editor

A QUESTION OF RACE

Many years ago in the United States, much blood was shed during the Civil War over the question of man's [illegible] ferring especially to the [illegible] of Negroes and their slavery in the household. If the words of Lincoln's "Bill of Rights" was supposed to have settled for all time the fact that all men are created free and equal. The rift between classes did not and has not and has never ceased. Riots, lynchings, strikes and demonstrations still break out over this question, and in labor circles it continues to be a sore spot and the source of a lot of trouble.

As Canadians, the race problem is shaping up for us, whether we like it or not. Can we meet it any more fairly or with any broader viewpoint than it has been met across the border? We are probably touching on a point that many think should be left alone, and they may be right, and yet, it is a situation that must be met. It is not so much a matter of color, here, as it is nationality.

We have a large population of Japanese, and central European children in our schools, in our religious gatherings, and in every place where people meet. What is our attitude toward them, and more important, what kind of an attitude toward these people are we engendering in our children? We have heard of children of these families attending our Primaries and Sunday Schools, and being told by our children that they were not wanted there. How do you feel about this situation? Personally we feel like hanging our heads in shame every time we hear such things. We profess to be Christians, and to have the light of truth, and yet, in our homes we make unsavory remarks in the hearing of our children, we make rash and foolish statements, and the little pitchers with big ears pick these up and pass them on. We must admit that seven and eight year old children are merely passing on what they hear grownups say. Watch your words, and better still watch your tongue.

Our immigration laws extend full privileges of citizenship to anyone who takes the oath of allegiance and who abides by law. This lays a certain and very definite responsibility on we as citizens. It implies that when these foreign born people become citizens of our country that we shall extend the hand of fellowship and make them one with us. Thy are to be assimilated and made one of a great and mighty race of Canadians. Are they? Do we really believe that? Are we Canadians deep enough to accept this as truth. If not, then our immigration laws are too broad and should be narrowed down.

Look at the United States. Amongst its more than 130 million [illegible] citizens there are [illegible] from every country under the sun. Apparently in 1 generation or two these immigrants have been absorbed into the warp and woof of the nations politics, finance, religion and education, until today the intermixture of races through marriage is the rule, not the exeeption; and, it is claimed by those who are in a position to know, that this condcion, rather than weakening is the strength of the United States.

It is our opinion, though we may be wrong, that the same conditions will exist here. Already there has been intermarriage, and as the present generation of children grow up there will be more. Individually we may or may not like it, and as families we may or not be affected by it. However, it will throw a direct challenge at every one of us to prove whether or not we are as big as our claims or not. We claim to be fighting for freedom and democracy, and for the right for men and women to think and act without restraint. Very well then friends and neighbors, let us teach ourselves and our children to refrain from sharp cutting remarks about any of these people. Let us be respectful, let us be more than tolerant, let us be friendly, and let us be honest. Many of these people are here by choice, some of them are here by force, and would like to be elsewhere. Let it not be said of us or of our children that their happiness and peace of mind and opportunity, has been hampered or made less pleasant by anything that we shall say or do.

If we would fight, and sacrifice the lives of our men and women in battle for FREEDOM, it seems very inconsistent that we should be so narrow as to not extend some of that freedom to the stranger within our gates. As Bobbie Burns said "A Man' a man for A' 'that.' You do your part, I will do my part our children will do their part as Canadians and Christians, and then these people will feel free and will appreciate our examplification of freedom and democracy.

LIONS MEETING

The regular meeting of the Raymond Lions Club was held in the Sugar Bowl Monday March 6th with Pres. Golden Snow in the Chair.

Lion Herbert Wilde was appointed Tail Twister for the evening.

Sergt. Stewart Robinson was present and gave a very interesting talk on some of his experiences during his training in the Air Force.

Pre. Golden Snow appointed Karl Dahl, Ira McBride, Ken Baker and Casey Veen as a committee in charge of the next meeting which was to be another Ladies night.

The Kinsman Club of Lethbridge asked the Club to sponsor a Road Show which would be in Raymond on April 3rd. This would be in the Opera House and proceeds would be for the Milk for Britain Fund. The members decided to support this movement.

J. W. Evans was present representing the Local Red Cross Society and asked the members to canvas the East side of Broadway for funds during the present drive. The boys promied to do this and Pres. Snow asked Sec. Rolfson to draw up a plan for them to follow.

Lion Tamer M. T. King led the club in community singing, after which the meeting closed in the usual manner.

Corp. Robinson of Magrath was a Raymond visitor Thursday.

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Clyde Spencer, Stake Mission President was at Stirling and Raymod on Sunday in connection with this work.

Jack Pittaway was a Lethbridge visitor Thursday.

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Jimmy Weaver returned Monday to his work in the R.C.A.F. at No. 8 B. and G. School after a very enjoyable furlough with his wife and children here.

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The Fellowship and Attendance Committee had the program at Rotary on Monday and short talks were made by Louis Brandley and S. I. May of this committee. Some of the Grade 1, boys sang two numbers asited at the piano by Mrs. Verna Redd. The usual fine luncheon was enjoyed by the boys.

THE WEATHER

Still a topic of general discussion, the weather during the week just past reminded us that we are still definitely north of the equator. Commencing Monday we had snow flurries all week with the mercury down around zero and a little below. The snow was welcome and the cold was not severe. Saturday night we had the coldest night of the winter when thermometers plunged to 18 below, and Sunday was quite cold. After so much summer during the winter, we nearly froze, or thought we did, and when on Monday the sun was shining brightly and the snow melting scene we thought we were again back in the banana belt.

NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dahl of Cardston were here on Wednesday to the Old Folks Party.

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Mrs. Paul Schneider was expecting some baby chicks last week. When the weather turned so cold she was rather glad they didn't come.

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Raymond Jacks took a 20 point beating at the hands of the Magrath Lions last Mondaly night, and tonight the gang are out to wipe off the sting of defeat. Be on hand to watch a real sizzling game.

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Fireside for the M Men and Gleaners was held Sunday night at the J. H. Walker home. Speakers were Serg. Stewart Robinson, who has since left for Eastern Canada, and Keith Scoville of the Navy. Keith was very interesting in relating some of his travels in the Navy, which have been quite a lot.

FROM THE LOCAL BRANCH OF THE CANADIAN LEGION

Raymond, Alberta,
Feb. 27th.

The Raymond Branch of the Canadian Legion for the past years of 1940 to 1942 have undertaken the task of forwarding Xmas parcels to our boys and girls in the Armed Services. With the assistance of the residents of our Town, (financially and otherwise, we feel that a good job has been done during those years.

Now, with reference to last year, namely 1943, considerable brance of any kind; and corresdifficulty has been experienced in securing merchandise for these parcels, and for a remembrance of any kind; and correspondence has been carried on between our Legion and Eastern firms for the past three months. We are now happy to say that a remembrance has been forwarded to every boy and girl in the forces from Raymond whose name was handed to any member of the Legion, or listed on the cards for this purpose in the stores n Town. This drive for names was for a six week period in October and November, and we hope that there are not many but who will receive a remembrance.

For your information the following has been forwarded:

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We trust that persons who have been critical as regards the efforts of the Legion in this regard will be a little more lenient considering the difficulties that have been encountered, and we would like to inform them that if it is their desire, they may accept this responsibility that has been ours in the past.

At this time we extend our thanks and appreciation to all who donated or assisted in any way with the Hamper Fund, which has made it possible for these remembrances to go forward to our friends who are in the service of their country.

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NOTICE

On Wednesday next March 15th the local Veterans Organization, are having their regular meeting in the Town Hall, and a special invitation is being issued to all parents or relatives of Boys and Girls in the Armed Forces to attend this meeting as it is hoped that a Parents Organization can be formed at this time. Please convey this information to all Parents and Relatives of the members in the Armed Foces.

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We wish to express our heart felt thanks to Drs. Madill and Walker, and all others who assisted in any way during the sickness and since the death of our father. Your kindness is certainly appreciated.

The C. B. Strong Family.

CONSCRIPT YOUR QUARTERS AND DOLLARS TO BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS.

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Public school students, under the direction of Mrs. Hudson, art teacher, and with the help of the School Board in material have painted and redecorated one of the basement rooms, built tables, chairs and pallettes for painting, and have made a real inviting enterprise room out of what was a dingy & uninviting basement room. We were very pleased to see this transformation and confirmed the growing opinion that to educate children means co-ordination of brain and brawn, not merely mental stuffing.

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FREDA MYATT

Freda Myatt, daugher of Mr. and Mrs. F. Myatt, of Magrath, Alberta, who recently enlisted in the Canadian Women's Army Corps, is at present taking a five-week basic training course at No. 2 C.W.A.C. Basic Training Centre, Vermilion. Her sister Elsie, is with the C.W.A.C. stationed in Vancouver.

Auditors are at the local Treasury Branch this week, starting their work at the close of business Wednesday afternoon.

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The Chinook really started to work Wednesday morning and when darkness came the only snow left was a little bit here and there in drifts.

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[] American Girl 1 yr.	[] New World (Illust'd) 1 yr.
[] Sports Afield 1 yr.	[] Free Press Prairie Farmer 1 yr.
[] Parent's Magazine 9 mos.	[] Western Producer 1 yr.
[] Outdoors 1 yr.	[] The Country Guide 2 yrs.
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